

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Ken-ichi Nakaya

Serial No.: 10/078,406

Group Art Unit: 2839

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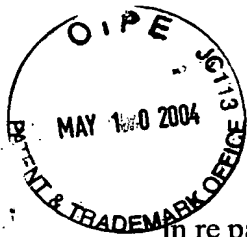
AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 10, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

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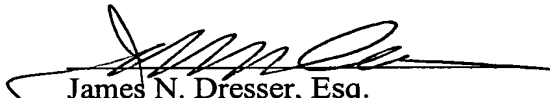
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated and is transmitted as shown below.

	<u>AFTER AMENDMENT</u>	<u>PREV. PAID FOR</u>	<u>EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT</u>	<u>RATE</u>	<u>FEE DUE</u>
Total Claims	24 -	23	= 1	x \$18.00	\$ 18.00
Indep. Claims	4 -	3	= 1	x \$86.00	\$ 86.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$ 104.00

A check in the amount of \$104.00 to cover the excess claim fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies in fees and credit any overpayment of fees to Attorney's Deposit Account No. 50-0481.

Respectfully Submitted,

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